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Applicant(s): Romier et al.

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Bituminous Coated Aggregate Mix

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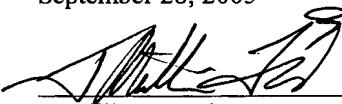
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**AMENDMENT A**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Office action dated March 29, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected at pages 2 through 6 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.

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